



FARMINGTON BASEBALL ASSOCIATION | BOARD MEETING

DATE: 11/2/25 @ 6:00 pm

LOCATION: Rambling River Center

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Anthony Hilden - Travel Director / 15U+ Director	<input type="checkbox"/> Angela Mucha - Tournaments Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Ryan Jahnz - Assistant Travel Director	<input type="checkbox"/> Megan Tesmer - Concessions Director
<input type="checkbox"/> Kristy Cranor - Community Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adam Simon - Travel Tryout Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Andrew Roberts - Assistant Community Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brandon Chant - Offseason Training Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Julie Boyum - K-1st Grade Community Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Gina Burmeister - Website/Data
<input type="checkbox"/> Lynn Heidbrink - 2nd Grade Community Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tim Vanderline - Equipment/Field Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jen Peterson - 3rd-8th Grade Community Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Kayla Gillispie - Scheduling Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brian Laabs - Finance Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Cathy Haukom - Volunteer Director
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Aimee Morgan - Communications Director	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Scott Wilson - At - Large
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Jamie Schmode - Uniform Director	<input type="checkbox"/> OPEN - Umpire Director

- **Call to Order:** 6:02PM
- **Adoption of Agenda:** Haukom Motion / Simon Second
- **Approval of Minutes:** Schmode Motion / Gillispie Second
- **Open Forum Public:** None present
- **Treasurer Report (Laabs):**
 - \$10K in checking / \$6,500 in Savings / \$50,000 in CD – this will be moved to checking next week
 - \$263K income this year, only up \$1,000 from last year. \$252K in expenses so far this year, there are still some more charges to come out. Net income sitting at \$11K as of now.
 - Tournament registrations increased \$6K in the 2025 season
 - Umpires we pay out ~\$26K
 - Hosted tournaments we net ~\$22K (community & travel hosted tournaments)
- **General Business:**
 - 2026 Uniforms / Holiday Store (Schmode) - sent around a sheet of three options for votes; top two will be printed and presented at the December board meeting.
 - Whites are leaving to be replaced with new / Blacks are staying
 - 2025-2026 Parent Player Handbook Changes (Hilden/All)
 - Send edits to Aimee by 11/15
 - 2026-2026 Budget (Hilden/Laabs)
 - Registration last year was at \$575 for early bird / \$625 after January 1 / Late registration will be \$700
 - Hilden Motion 9U - 14U \$575 for early bird / \$625 after January 1 - Burmeister Second - all in favor none opposed
 - Empire fields are going up 36% / City fields up 22% / School fields - unknown / Umpires going up



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- Lawyer fees should come out of the savings vs. an increase in registration
- Umpire Update (Hilden) - Umpires going up \$8/game across the board
 - 14U - MBL is pushing us to have two umpires at every game
- **Travel:**
 - Barnburner / 2026 Hosted Tournaments (Mucha)
 - Mother's Day Weekend May 8-10th
 - Levels: 9AA/10A/11A - 8 teams \$600 registration fee / 13A 12 teams \$650 registration fee
 - May 16 - 17 - 9A Tournament - 8 Teams @ \$600
 - Fair/Competitive Play
 - Schmode: League play is fair play, tournament play should be competitive to the coaches discretion. At the 9/10 level tournaments get difficult to stay competitive keeping things at fair play.
 - Burmeister: rotate batting line ups, stick to straight fair play in league play
 - Roberts: Saw teams at 12A had teams that never moved people.
 - Chant: Asking if in competitive play we would sit kids more than 3 innings? How do we define this?
 - Decision to discuss further and make final decision at future meeting
- **Community:**
 - Working on the community budget - goal is to keep K-2nd at same rate / possible increase in 3rd grade up. Will have a budget ready to present in December
- **Round Table:**
 - Tim - VFW Steakfry as a fundraiser? Further discussion/details to come
 - Hilden – CD renews on 11/9 - 7 month special is 3.48% with a minimum of \$10,000.
 - MOTION - Keep \$10K in a CD Motion Hilden/Wilson Second - all in favor - none opposed
- **Adjourn:** 8:24 Motion Hilden / Second Wilson
- **CLOSED SESSION**
 - Conduct committee update on parent A